

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

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INFO AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L TAIPEI 2904

EO 11652 GDS

TAGS ENRG CH TW

SUBJECT: OIL DRILLING SUPPLY VESSEL

REF: TAIPEI 2792

1. CONOCO, VICE PRESIDENT-EXPLORATION MANAGER, INFORMED  
EMBASSY ON MAY 27 THAT M/V ARIEL WILL NOT BE USED AND  
CONTRACT WITH OFFSHORE LOGISTICS BEING CANCELLED.

2. CONOCO NOW ENDEAVORING OBTAIN ANOTHER VESSEL (NON-  
AMERICAN REGISTRY AND CREW) TO UNDERTAKE CORING AND  
OTHER OPERATIONS. CONSIDERATION ALSO BEING GIVEN TO  
ALTERING AN EXISTING SUPPLY VESSEL FOR THIS WORK.

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## Message Attributes

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